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Arizona Corporation Commission 1200 W. Washington St. Phoenix, AZ 85007

Re: Docket Numbers E-01345A-08-0172 and E-00000J-08-0314 + 6 00000 C-08.0314

Dear Commissioners,

As we believe you are well aware, energy efficiency has played a small role in our state's energy mix; however, its potential is significant. We are writing in support of increasing energy efficiency requirements as part of the Commission workshops on energy efficiency and the APS rate case. To us, energy efficiency should be the first place we turn to meet our state's energy needs.

Energy efficiency provides benefits to a range of customers through a range of programs. Overall, energy efficiency not only helps to save businesses and consumers money, it also helps to reduce water consumption that comes from current energy sources such as nuclear, and alleviates some of the air pollution and health issues associated with current polluting sources of energy such as coal.

Energy efficiency should be top of the energy resource list for benefiting customers and the economy and there should be a standard in Arizona of at least 20% energy efficiency by 2020.

Please make this happen.

Yours Truly,

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